



Gillis Brower

August 9, 1927 - September 19, 2014

Gillis Brower, age 87, loving husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather went to be with his Lord, Friday, September 19, 2014. He married Ida Nienhuis on August 20, 1948, she preceded him in death on August 11, 2009. He was also preceded in death by his daughter Sandra Martin. Gil was a member of Faith Reformed Church where he served as a deacon and elder. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict and worked for the Ottawa County Road Commission for 32 years. He is survived by his children: Diane and Robert Velthouse, Wayne and Yvonne Brower, David and Rhonda Brower, Kathy and James Mc Farland, Karen and Mark Van Slooten; son-in-law Ronald Martin; 17 Grandchildren and 17 Great grandchildren; sisters and brothers: Glenn and Ruth Brower, Justin Brower, Norwin and Jane Brower, Keith and Karen Brower, Paul and Esther Brower, Bernard and Mary Brower, Gloria and Ronald Zylstra; in-laws: Bernice Van Spyker, Frank and Audrey Nienhuis, Sharon and Peter Van Weerdhuizen, Ronald and Kathy Nienhuis. Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 23, 2014 at Faith Reformed Church, 220 West Central Ave., Zeeland. The Reverend David Smits will officiate. Visitation will be 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Monday at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 South State St., Zeeland. Interment will be in Zeeland Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be given to Faith Reformed Church. An online registry is available at www.yntemafh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Gillis Brower*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Dave and Rhonda sorry for your loss , we pray for comfort at this time of sorrow"*

Mike and Sharon VanHaitsma - September 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Lots of love and prayers!"*

Pamela Wedgwood - September 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *"May your Great memories of Gil,,Get the family through this difficult time,,Hugs from the Lodenstein Family,,"*

Clare - September 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Gil and Ida were one of the first couples to welcome us to the family at Faith... Special man... he will be missed."*

Mark Dalman - September 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM